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All of the listed references were cited in the International Search Report in corresponding PCT Application No. PCT/US2005/026274. Cite No. 2 corresponds to U.S. Patent No. 5,983,478, which has already been considered by the Examiner, and is therefore not submitted herewith. Cite No. 3 corresponds to the parent application of this application.

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Applicant submits that all claims previously allowable remain allowable over the

references submitted herewith.

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